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The Honorable Rosa DeLauro Chairwoman House Appropriations Committee H-307 The Capitol Washington, DC 20515 The Honorable Kay Granger Ranking Member House Appropriations Committee 1036 Longworth House Office Building Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for the Raton New Mexico Film Studio and Education Center in fiscal year 2023.

The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Raton located at Post Office Box 910, 224 Savage Avenue, Raton, New Mexico 87740.

The funding would be used to rehabilitate Kearny Elementary School into a film production and workforce development facility. The facility will provide training in all areas and trades associated with film production in partnership with Santa Fe Community College and El Raton Media Works. Funding is sought for facility renovation and studio-related equipment.

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

Teresa Leger Fernández Member of Congress